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 Filing Date : October 26, 2001
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 Group Art Unit : 2814
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Applicant requests consideration of the pending claims in the above-identified patent application based on the remarks herein.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of the claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement begins on page 25 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 26 of this paper.

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INDEPENDENT CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(d))	42	minus 3 =
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM PRESENT (37 CFR 1.16(d))		

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CLAIMS AS AMENDED - PART II

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FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM (37 CFR 1.16(d))					

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